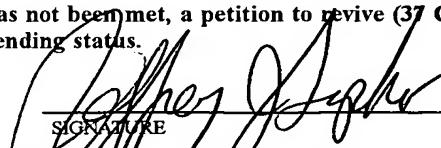


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		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) <b>10/500668</b>	
PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 15 January 2002 (15.01.2002)			
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>SUPPORT FOR ROLLING CYLINDRICAL ELEMENTS AND METHOD AND TRANSPORT...</b>			
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>VALENTIN, Michel and VERDOLLIN, Jacques</b>			
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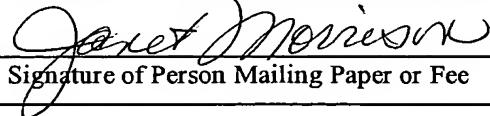
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